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## Town Officers

	<i>Moderator</i> NEWELL P. MARDEN	
	<i>Town Clerk</i> BLAKE H. RAND	
	<i>Selectmen</i>	
NEWELL P. MARDEN	AUSTIN W. HAWES	WILLARD H. DRAKE
	<i>Treasurer</i> AGNES M. BROWN	
	<i>Collector</i> IRVING JENNESS	
	<i>Representative to General Court</i> ERNEST A. TUCKER	
	<i>Cemetery Trustees</i>	
ERNEST O. FOSS	CHARLES P. GORDON	ERNEST A. TUCKER
	<i>School Board</i>	
ELIZABETH M. MARDEN	MARY P. VARRELL	LESTER J. STAPLES
	<i>School Treasurer</i> AGNES M. BROWN	
	<i>Supervisors of Checklist</i>	
IRVING W. RAND	NEIL B. PHILBRICK	MYRTLE V. BARROWS
	<i>Trustees of Trust Funds</i>	
SHIRLEY S. PHILBRICK	ELDRED W. MARSHALL	AGNES M. BROWN
	<i>Highway Agent</i> JOHN H. DECHENE	
	<i>Library Trustees</i>	
JOHN E. ANTHERS	WILLIAM H. LOCKE	HELEN F. PHILBRICK
	<i>Chief of Police</i> A. MANNING REMICK	
	<i>Health Officer</i> DR. H. A. WHITE	
	<i>Fire Warden</i> JOHN H. DECHENE	
	<i>Auditors</i>	
NEIL B. PHILBRICK	<i>Janitor of Town Hall</i> HORACE B. BERRY	LESTER J. STAPLES
	<i>Tree Warden</i> BLAKE L. RAMSDELL	
	<i>Building Inspector</i> ERNEST A. TUCKER	
	<i>Supervisor of Cemetery</i> ERNEST O. FOSS	
	<i>Fire Chief</i> ABBOTT B. DRAKE	

# Selectmen's Report

For the year ending December 31, 1945

## INVOICE

Land and buildings .....	\$2,769,755.00
Growing wood and timber.....	9,200.00
Poles, wires, etc. (electric) .....	79,600.00
Horses, 41 .....	4,680.00
Cows, 93 .....	8,925.00
Other neat stock, 5 .....	240.00
Sheep, 12 .....	150.00
Fowls .....	600.00
Boats and launches .....	1,500.00
Wood and lumber .....	1,200.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks .....	3,000.00
Stock in trade .....	4,400.00
Aqueducts, etc. ....	18,000.00
Mills and machinery .....	9,600.00
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	\$2,910,850.00

Amount of property taxes (town) .....	\$68,416.60
"    "    "    (precinct) .....	4,737.15
Poll taxes, regular .....	1,390.00
"    "    special .....	2,172.00
Bank stock tax .....	144.50

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\$76,860.25

Amount exempted to soldiers .....	\$47,500.00
"    "    "    blind .....	1,000.00

Town tax rate on \$1,000.00 .....	\$23.50
Precinct rate on \$1,000.00 .....	6.60

## ASSETS

Cash on hand .....	\$18,525.20
Due from tax sales .....	699.63
Uncollected taxes, 1945 .....	3,316.44
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	\$22,541.27

## LIABILITIES

Due School District .....	\$11,500.00
Outstanding notes .....	14,300.00
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	\$25,800.00

Net debt, December 31, 1944 .....	\$8,396.68
Net debt, December 31, 1945 .....	3,258.73
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Decrease of debt .....	\$5,137.95
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## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

*From local sources:*

Property taxes collected, 1945 .....	\$70,188.31
Poll taxes collected, 1945 .....	3,211.00
"    "    "    1944 .....	299.00
Tax sales .....	355.75
Redeemed taxes .....	2,296.93
Bank stock taxes .....	144.50
Interest on taxes .....	82.68
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	\$76,578.17

*From State:*

Interest and dividend tax .....	\$6,773.82
Railroad tax .....	172.63
Savings Bank tax .....	941.75
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	\$7,888.20

*From local sources:*

Dog licenses .....	\$409.66
Rent of Town Hall .....	105.00
Auto permits, 1944 .....	7.65
“ “ 1945 .....	1,738.17
“ “ 1946 .....	40.41
Sale of cemetery lots .....	580.00
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	\$2,880.89
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	\$87,347.26
Cash on hand January 1, 1945 .....	12,607.76
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	\$99,955.02

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

*General Government:*

Town officers' salaries .....	\$1,325.00
Town officers' expenses .....	1,167.06
Town Hall expenses .....	869.26
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	\$3,361.32

*Protection of Persons and Property:*

Police protection .....	\$2,989.25
Fire protection .....	2,022.76
Damage by dogs .....	54.00
Health department .....	110.00
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	\$5,176.01

*Highways:*

Town maintenance .....	\$13,450.00
Insurance on shed .....	15.00
Insurance on trucks .....	92.25
T. R. A. ....	615.65
Street lights .....	188.40
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	\$14,361.30

*Libraries:*

John E. Anthes, appropriation . . . . .	\$1,100.00
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	\$1,100.00

*Welfare and Relief:*

Old age assistance . . . . .	\$1,135.50
Town poor . . . . .	1,168.59
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	\$2,304.09

*Schools:*

Agnes M. Brown, school treasurer . . . . .	\$32,500.00
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	\$32,500.00

*Unclassified*

County tax . . . . .	\$11,007.50
Oil for clock . . . . .	2.66
Portsmouth Flower Shop . . . . .	5.00
E. A. Tucker, labor service emblem . . . . .	3.38
S. D. R. A. appropriation . . . . .	226.00
Rye Beach Precinct, taxes . . . . .	4,500.00
Special poll taxes to State . . . . .	2,112.00
Ernest O. Foss, care of flag . . . . .	10.00
Planning Board expenses . . . . .	201.12
Interest . . . . .	578.25
Discounts and abatements . . . . .	3,981.19
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	\$22,627.10
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	\$81,429.82
Cash on hand December 31, 1945 . . . . .	18,525.20
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	\$99,955.02



# Detailed Statement of Expenditures

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## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Lester J. Staples, auditor .....	\$10.00
Neil B. Philbrick, auditor .....	10.00
Blake H. Rand, clerk .....	25.00
Agnes M. Brown, treasurer .....	100.00
Treasurer Trust Funds .....	100.00
Irving Jenness, collector .....	500.00
Willard H. Drake, selectman .....	115.00
Austin W. Hawes, selectman .....	115.00
Newell P. Marden, selectman .....	350.00
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	\$1,325.00

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

N. H. Assessors, dues .....	\$2.00
S. R. Blaisdell, printing .....	23.75
<i>Exeter News-Letter</i> , town reports .....	165.50
F. D. Butler Agency, bond .....	10.00
Kendall agency, bonds .....	87.00
Collector of Internal Revenue .....	314.00
I. A. Jenness, postage .....	12.00
Kendall Agency, bond .....	27.00
Agnes M. Brown, expense .....	1.70
C. E. Trafton Agency, bond .....	30.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies .....	3.44
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies .....	14.04
F. B. Nay, records .....	.80
George J. Davis, printing .....	10.25
A. A. Jenness, collecting dog tax, 1944, 1945	46.80
Dimick Printing Co., supplies .....	12.00

John W. A. Green, transfer records . . . . .	\$41.00
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies . . . . .	1.08
<i>Portsmouth Herald</i> , notice . . . . .	12.00
N. P. Marden, expenses . . . . .	27.20
Ernest A. Tucker, building inspector . . . . .	38.00
B. H. Rand, issuing auto permits, etc. . . . .	221.50
A. B. Drake, meals, election officers . . . . .	20.00
Trust & Guarantee Co., box rent . . . . .	6.00
Police Retirement Board . . . . .	40.00
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	\$1,167.06

## WELFARE AND RELIEF

Old Age assistance . . . . .	\$1,135.50
J. H. Drake, supplies . . . . .	248.08
W. E. Garland, supplies . . . . .	106.00
Neil B. Philbrick, supplies . . . . .	97.48
Lamprey Bros., fuel oil . . . . .	18.03
Rockingham County Home and Hospital board . . . . .	594.00
J. Verne Wood, burial . . . . .	105.00
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	\$2,304.09

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Dr. H. A. White, health officer . . . . .	\$110.00
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	\$110.00

## STREET LIGHTS

N. H. Gas & Electric Co., service . . . . .	\$188.40
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	\$188.40

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

A Manning Remick, salary and expense . .	\$2,117.15
Abbott B. Drake, fire expense . . . . .	1,862.76
Abbott B. Drake, expenses, 1944 . . . . .	160.00
Fireman's Relief Fund . . . . .	250.00
F. D. Butler Agency, insurance . . . . .	48.29
Jenny Manufacturing Co., gas . . . . .	143.17
A. Beckwith Co., supplies . . . . .	32.75
M. Lynsky Bros., supplies . . . . .	6.70
Keith's Garage, stock and labor . . . . .	76.65
Caswell Bros., Inc., supplies . . . . .	22.59
Baker Wright, supplies . . . . .	3.50
Damage by dogs . . . . .	54.00
Causeway Garage, repairs . . . . .	15.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service . . . . .	53.95
U. W. Seavey, police services . . . . .	219.50

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\$5,066.01

## PLANNING BOARD EXPENSES

Spaulding Moss Co., map . . . . .	\$6.16
Harold G. Rundlett, labor on map . . . . .	127.96
John W. Durgin, blueprints . . . . .	5.00
Strawberry Bank Print Shop, printing . . . .	40.00
<i>Portsmouth Herald</i> , notice . . . . .	2.50
J. D. Hartford, expense . . . . .	4.50
E. A. Blanchard, services . . . . .	15.00

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\$201.12

## INTEREST

G. P. Goss . . . . .	\$120.00
Trustees' Trust Funds . . . . .	452.00
First National Bank . . . . .	6.25

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\$578.25

## TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Horace B. Berry, services janitor . . . . .	\$500.00	
H. T. Wendell, supplies . . . . .	1.75	
Wood . . . . .	22.00	
E. A. Tucker, stock and labor . . . . .	10.89	
H. B. Berry, painting floors, etc. . . . .	42.00	
W. S. Jackson Co., paint . . . . .	18.00	
John O. Philbrick, mowing field . . . . .	12.00	
Iona A. Jenness, paint . . . . .	10.55	
Caswell Bros., Inc., oil . . . . .	200.94	
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., service . . . . .	51.13	
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		\$869.26

## SCHOOLS

Agnes M. Brown, school treasurer . . . . .	\$32,500.00	
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		\$32,500.00

## HIGHWAYS

J. H. Dechene, agent . . . . .	\$13,450.00	
Insurance on store shed . . . . .	15.00	
Kendall Agency, insurance on trucks . . . . .	92.25	
T. R. A. . . . .	615.65	
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		\$14,172.90

## UNCLASSIFIED

Library appropriation . . . . .	\$1,100.00
County tax . . . . .	11,007.50
Oil for clock . . . . .	2.66
Portsmouth Flower Shop . . . . .	5.00

E. A. Tucker, labor service emblem . . . . .	\$3.38
S. D. R. A. appropriation . . . . .	226.00
Rye Beach Precinct, taxes . . . . .	4,500.00
Special poll taxes to State . . . . .	2,112.00
E. O. Foss, care of flag . . . . .	10.00
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	\$18,966.54

## DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Irving Jenness, discount on taxes . . . . .	\$3,322.21
Irving Jenness, sales and abatements . . . . .	658.98
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	\$3,981.19
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Total payments . . . . .	\$81,429.82

NEWELL P. MARDEN,  
WILLARD H. DRAKE,  
AUSTIN W. HAWES,

*Selectmen.*

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts  
and find them correct.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK,  
LESTER J. STAPLES,

*Auditors.*

# Report of Treasurer

For the year ending December 31, 1945

## *Receipts*

Balance January 1, 1945 . . . . .	\$12,607.76
State of New Hampshire:	
Railroad tax . . . . .	172.63
Savings Bank tax . . . . .	941.75
Interest and dividends tax . . . . .	6,773.82
Blake H. Rand, auto permits 1944 . . . . .	7.65
"      "      "      "      1945 . . . . .	1,738.17
"      "      "      "      1946 . . . . .	40.41
"      "      dog licenses, 1944 . . . . .	34.80
"      "      "      "      1945 . . . . .	374.86
Ernest O. Foss, cemetery lots . . . . .	580.00
Town Hall receipts . . . . .	105.00
Irving Jenness, poll taxes, 1944 . . . . .	299.00
"      "      redeemed . . . . .	2,296.93
"      "      tax sales . . . . .	355.75
"      "      interest on taxes . . . . .	82.68
"      "      taxes, 1945 . . . . .	73,543.81
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	\$99,955.02
Paid on orders from selectmen . . . . .	81,429.82
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Balance January 1, 1946 . . . . .	\$18,525.20

## *Demands against the Town*

Note to Gilman P. Goss . . . . .	\$3,000.00
to Trustees Trust Funds . . . . .	11,300.00
Due School District . . . . .	11,500.00
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	\$25,800.00

*Due the Town*

Poll taxes, 1945 .....	\$351.00
Uncollected taxes .....	2,965.44
On tax sales property .....	699.63
Cash balance .....	18,525.20
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	\$22,541.27
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Balance against the town, Jan. 1, 1946	\$3,258.73

AGNES M. BROWN,  
*Treasurer.*

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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts  
and find them correct.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK,  
LESTER J. STAPLES,  
*Auditors.*

# Town Clerk's Report

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For the year ending December 31, 1945

*Received from Dog Licenses:*

1 male, 8 months .....	\$1.36	
1 female dog, 5 months .....	2.10	
2 kennel at \$12.00 .....	24.00	
14 female at \$5.00 .....	70.00	
157 male at \$2.00 .....	314.00	
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		\$411.46

*Less Fees:*

2 kennel licenses at \$1.00 .....	\$2.00	
173 licenses at 20c .....	34.60	
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		\$36.60

Paid treasurer .....	\$374.86	
Paid treasurer, balance 1944 .....	34.80	
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		\$409.66

*Received from Auto Permits:*

1944 .....	\$7.65	
1945 .....	1,738.17	
1946 .....	40.41	
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Paid treasurer .....	\$1,786.23	



*Recording Vital Statistics:*

22 marriages

25 births

27 deaths

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 74 records at \$0.50 ..... \$37.00

 Issuing 738 auto permits ..... 184.50
 

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Received from treasurer ..... \$221.50

BLAKE H. RAND,

*Town Clerk.*


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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts  
and find them correct and properly vouched.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK,

LESTER J. STAPLES,

*Auditors.*

# Report of Highway Agent

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## *Receipts*

From Agnes M. Brown, treasurer . . . . .	\$13,450.00
Use of water cart . . . . .	105.75
Use of concrete mixer . . . . .	2.00
Sale of gravel . . . . .	353.30
J. P. McCaffery, plow . . . . .	80.00
Town of Eliot, grousers . . . . .	63.00
F. Tate, premix . . . . .	302.48
E. A. Blanchard, premix . . . . .	90.30
A. E. Lang, premix . . . . .	98.80
Beach Club, tar . . . . .	94.50
W. D. Walker, tar . . . . .	10.50
E. S. Fields, tar . . . . .	15.20
State of N. H., gas T. R. A. . . . .	74.70
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Cash on hand . . . . .	11.62
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	\$14,752.15

## *Expenditures*

J. H. Dechene, salary . . . . .	\$2,000.00
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	\$2,000.00

## *Summer:*

P. M. Cummings . . . . .	\$198.80
W. W. Eldridge . . . . .	821.90
C. P. Gordon . . . . .	832.70
G. S. Goodwin . . . . .	543.15

W. J. Martin .....	\$340.30
F. E. Muder .....	79.40
G. F. Spaulding .....	824.85
Brackett, Shaw Co., repairs .....	1.48
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co. ....	4.50
Baker-Wright, repairs .....	24.80
Brooks Motor Sales, repairs .....	9.23
Bodge Welding Service, welding .....	67.00
Caswell Bros., tires, recaps .....	400.88
Clark-Wilcox, repairs shovel .....	126.28
Consolidated Coal Co., coal .....	62.97
Dyar Sales, parts shovel, crusher .....	105.00
J. H. Dechene, telephone, postage, etc.	18.34
Eastern Auto Parts Co., supplies .....	67.46
Littlefield Lumber Co., lumber .....	38.40
Gulf Oil Corp., gas oil .....	590.08
Gunni-sons, welding .....	2.00
W. E. Garland, tools .....	3.20
V. D. White .....	5.00
W. S. Jackson Co., supplies .....	39.16
I. A. Jenness, gas, paint, etc. ....	24.42
Boston & Maine R. R. freight .....	12.88
N. H. National Bank, check book .....	3.00
C. E. Philbrick .....	2.00
Perkins-Eaton Mach. Co., tar kettle ...	215.60
F. Reckendorf, ironwork .....	41.62
Rye Machine Shop, milling .....	6.00
R. H. Ripley, milling .....	2.00
Sears, Roebuck Co., tools .....	44.11
Vaughan Street Garage, repairs, supplies	215.92
C. E. Walker & Co., coal .....	216.99
N. E. Road Machine Co., crusher parts	65.43

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\$6,056.85

*Tar Products:*

## Trimount Bituminous Products Co.:

959 gals. Stickwet at .145.....	\$139.06
24,830 gals. M. C.2 Asphalt at .1185..	2,942.32
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	\$3,081.38

## WINTER EXPENDITURES

*Winter:*

C. P. Gordon .....	\$118.30
W. W. Eldridge .....	156.30
G. F. Spaulding .....	169.40
G. S. Goodwin .....	17.60
W. J. Martin .....	4.80
Gulf Oil Corp., gas, oil .....	78.40
W. S. Jackson, bolts, etc. ....	1.50
Eastern Auto Parts Co., repair parts...	7.16
Caswell Bros., supplies.....	28.70
Vaughan Street Garage, repairs .....	29.05
Int. Salt Co., salt .....	72.26
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	\$683.47

*Snow Fence:*

C. P. Gordon .....	\$26.60
W. W. Eldridge .....	28.00
G. F. Spaulding .....	37.80
G. S. Goodwin .....	35.40
W. J. Martin .....	16.80
W. S. Jackson Co., staples .....	.55
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	\$145.15

*Snow Removal:*

C. P. Gordon .....	\$240.70
W. W. Eldridge .....	222.10
G. F. Spaulding .....	218.40
G. S. Goodwin .....	108.60
A. M. Spaulding .....	40.80
R. B. Goss .....	21.00
F. H. Trefethen .....	29.20
F. H. Trefethen, Jr. ....	7.20
N. L. Jenness .....	24.60
I. W. Jenness .....	23.80
H. A. Eldridge .....	25.20
T. R. Ham .....	33.60
F. B. Patrick, Jr. ....	1.80
G. Gaskell .....	1.80
R. Eaton .....	16.20
E. C. Eaton .....	1.80
D. M. Clayton .....	13.80
E. B. Smith .....	1.80
C. Rawding .....	1.80
P. M. Cummings .....	3.00
J. A. Eaton .....	1.80
V. Brown .....	27.30
W. Moulton .....	19.60
Bodge Welding Service, welding .....	17.50
Eastern Auto Parts Co., supplies .....	37.31
Gunni-sons, welding .....	4.25
C. L. Ripley, welding .....	35.00
Vaughan Street Garage, repairs .....	28.55
Maine Steel, Incl., plow blades .....	35.13
Clark-Wilcox, plow parts .....	14.40
Gulf Oil Corp., gas, oil .....	84.00
J. L. Welch, repairs .....	9.00
Dyar Sales, plow blades, parts .....	75.00

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 \$1,426.04

*Tractor and Plow:*

C. P. Gordon .....	\$16.80
G. S. Goodwin .....	8.40
Bodge Welding Service, welding .....	122.87
Keith Fritz, repairs, Mag. ....	12.00

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 \$160.07

## SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

*Dump:*

W. W. Eldridge .....	\$61.60
C. P. Gordon .....	70.70
G. F. Spaulding .....	55.30
G. S. Goodwin .....	75.80
W. J. Martin .....	38.40
P. M. Cummings .....	13.20
F. E. Muder .....	6.60
Gulf Oil Corp. ....	10.80

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 \$322.40
*Parks:*

G. S. Goodwin .....	\$5.60
C. P. Gordon .....	3.00

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 \$8.60
*Road Near Carberry's:*

C. P. Gordon .....	\$3.00
W. W. Eldridge .....	2.80
G. F. Spaulding .....	2.80
G. S. Goodwin .....	2.40
W. J. Martin .....	2.40
Gulf Oil Corp. ....	.90

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 \$14.30

*St. Andrew's Road:*

G. F. Spaulding .....	\$5.60
W. J. Martin .....	4.80
P. M. Cummings .....	4.40
W. W. Eldridge .....	2.80
C. P. Gordon .....	3.00
G. S. Goodwin .....	2.80
Trimount Co. ....	71.10
Gulf Oil Corp. ....	1.80
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	\$96.30

*Fair Hill Estate:*

Trimount Co. ....	\$82.95
W. W. Eldridge .....	2.80
G. F. Spaulding .....	2.80
C. P. Gordon .....	3.00
G. S. Goodwin .....	2.80
P. M. Cummings .....	4.40
W. J. Martin .....	4.80
F. E. Muder .....	4.40
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	\$107.95

*Work from Other Sources:*

F. Tate, premix .....	\$305.18
A. E. Lang, premix .....	98.80
E. S. Fields, tar .....	15.20
W. D. Walker, tar .....	10.50
Beach Club, tar .....	94.50
E. A. Blanchard, premix .....	90.30
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	\$614.48

Receipts .....	\$14,752.15
Expenditures .....	14,716.99
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Cash balance .....	\$35.16

J. H. DECHENE,  
*Highway Agent.*

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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts  
and find them correct and properly vouched.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK,  
LESTER J. STAPLES,  
*Auditors.*



# Janitor's Report

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## *Receipts*

Rye Grange .....	\$26.00
Jr. O. U. A. M. ....	20.00
Daughters of America .....	24.00
Community Club .....	11.00
E. O. T. Club, dance .....	2.00
Party .....	2.00
Entertainment .....	5.00
Locke reunion .....	2.00
Party .....	2.00
D. N. Club, dance .....	2.00
Girl Scouts, dance .....	2.00
Church Fair .....	3.00
Community Club, dance .....	2.00
Use of telephone .....	2.00
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\$105.00	

HORACE B. BERRY, *Janitor*.

# Report of Trustees of Central Cemetery

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## *Receipts*

### Sale of lots:

Mrs. Charles F. Burns . . . . .	\$60.00
Robert M. Mitchell . . . . .	60.00
Austin W. and Marion K. Hawes . . . . .	60.00
Ernest C. and Martha J. Dudley . . . . .	60.00
Austin W. Hawes and Ernest C. Dudley . . . . .	60.00
Wilbert J. Little . . . . .	60.00
Maurice H. Smart . . . . .	60.00
Maurice Sheehan . . . . .	60.00
Bertram H. Martenson . . . . .	30.00
Sara P. Martenson . . . . .	30.00
Gay E. Caswell . . . . .	40.00
From treasurer Trust Funds . . . . .	417.16

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\$997.16

## *Expenditures*

Paid town treasurer, sale of lots . . . . .	\$580.00
Kenneth Larrabee . . . . .	60.00
Frank Melloon . . . . .	20.00
Ernest O. Foss . . . . .	337.16

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\$997.16

ERNEST O. FOSS,  
ERNEST A. TUCKER,  
CHARLES P. GORDON,  
*Cemetery Trustees.*

# Report of Library Trustees

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*To the Citizens of Rye:*

Your trustees express their appreciation of the interest shown in the Library through many gifts of books and magazines during the year. The Every Other Tuesday Club has again contributed ten dollars to be used for any purpose.

The building is in excellent condition. Repairs have been made to the gutters, and the Town Seal over the entrance has been repainted.

Crowded conditions have been considerably relieved by the construction of more book cases on the west wall of the stack room, and behind the librarian's desk. Many worn and out-moded books have been discarded.

Attention is called to the continued showing of pictures loaned by the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, a new picture being on exhibition weekly in the frame at the right of the inner entrance.

Owing to the unavoidable absence of the Librarian over a period of some weeks, recent library service lacks the high degree of personal attention which she has built up through the years, but with the help of loyal and interested assistants Library patrons are being served as efficiently as possible until her return

HELEN F. PHILBRICK,  
JOHN E. ANTHERS,  
WILLIAM H. LOCKE,

*Library Trustees.*

January 3, 1946.

## Report of Librarian

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The following is a brief report of the Rye Public Library:

Approximate No. of Volumes circulated . . . . .	11,000
Largest circulation . . . . .	201
Smallest circulation . . . . .	11
No. of Volumes last year . . . . .	12,660
“ “ discarded . . . . .	320
“ “ added this year . . . . .	472
Total number of volumes . . . . .	12,812

Amount taken in fines . . . . .	\$30.15
Balance on hand from last year . . . . .	4.28
Amount spent for supplies . . . . .	23.92
Balance on hand . . . . .	10.51

The same magazines have been subscribed for and they have been supplemented by generous additions of current numbers from Mrs. Justin Hartford, Miss Alma G. Hill, Captain and Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Ryder, Mrs. Spencer and Mr. Russell Hook. We are indeed very grateful to them for their interest.

A large donation of books, including a fine set of Dickens was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Bonner and their sons.

The Library has been greatly benefited through the generosity of the Bonner family during the twelve years they made Rye their home.

Other books have been given by the following:

Mrs. Eliza Parsons Marden  
Miss Evelyn Locke  
Mrs. Edward Francis  
Mr. John L. Parsons  
Miss Alma G. Hill  
Mrs. Wallis D. Walker

A check for \$10.00 was presented by Chaplain Sargent Bush in appreciation of summer privileges for him and his family.

Desk supplies were given by Miss Priscilla Parsons.

At this time, I would like to express my appreciation to my "helpers" who have so faithfully carried on my work during my absence.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN C. DRAKE,

*Librarian.*

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

## GENERAL FUNDS

*Receipts*

Cash on hand January 1, 1945 .....	\$56.68
From town treasurer, appropriation .....	1,100.00
Sargent Bush, gift .....	10.00
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	\$1,166.68

*Expenditures*

Marion T. Davis .....	\$40.90
N. H. Gas & Electric Co., service .....	10.56
C. E. Walker & Co., coal .....	69.56
Helen C. Drake, librarian .....	550.00
Horace B. Berry, janitor .....	125.00
Personal Book Shop .....	70.91
F. C. Sorentzen .....	13.75
Portsmouth Cleaning Co. ....	10.00
N. H. National Bank .....	.80
E. A. Tucker, stock and labor .....	142.82
Gayford Bros. ....	17.15
John E. Anthes, postage .....	2.50
Harry A. Green .....	14.00
Norman Jenness .....	1.50
Extra service .....	15.00
John O. Philbrick .....	6.25
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	\$1,090.70
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Cash on hand January 1, 1946 .....	\$75.98

*Trust Funds — Receipts*

Cash on hand January 1, 1945 .....	\$201.79
From B. F. Webster fund .....	22.08
James H. Locke fund .....	22.08
J. Disco Jenness fund .....	8.35
James M. Drake fund .....	202.00
Mary T. Rand fund .....	2.50
Ralph T. Marden fund .....	4.25
Dr. John W. Parsons fund .....	19.12
Susan A. Goss fund .....	6.25
Oliver P. Garland fund .....	20.00
Forrest C. Varrall fund .....	50.24
Lizzie B. Philbrick fund .....	5.00
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	\$563.66

*Expenditures*

Paid Personal Book Shop .....	\$357.06
Charles Scribner Sons .....	5.73
Doubleday Doran Co. ....	14.50
Junior Literary Guild .....	18.50
Crosser & Williams .....	1.65
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	\$397.44

Cash on hand January 1, 1946 .....	\$166.22
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JOHN E. ANTHERS,

*Treasurer.*

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.

LESTER J. STAPLES,  
NEIL B. PHILBRICK,

*Auditors.*

# Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

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*To the Citizens of Rye:*

The past twelve months have been marked by a continuation of the refinancing of corporate debt. The cheap money policy of the Federal Government probably means that interest rates cannot or will not be raised until there is a change in such policy. One effect of this trend is evidenced in the changes in the investment portfolio of the Trust Funds caused by the calling of the Portland General Electric Co. 4½s of 1960, the Shawinigan Water & Power Co. 4½s of 1970, the Springfield Gas & Electric Co. 5s of 1957, Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates 4s of 1956, Federal Land Bank 4s of '44-'46, and United States Treasury 4s of '44-'54.

New investments include Northern Pacific Railway Co. 4½s of 1975, Portland General Electric Co. 31/8s of 1975, United States Treasury Series G 2½s, and shares of stock in the following banks, viz.: Irving Trust Company, Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, First National Bank of Boston, Chase National Bank, and Continental Bank & Trust Company.

Five new trusts have been created. The stated or par value of the principal of all funds is now \$85,552.39 but the market value of the securities is much in excess of this figure. The total income for the year was \$3,360.41 and expenditures \$2,072.09. The unexpended balance of income of the Dalton Fund on December 31st was \$7,168.07.

SHIRLEY S. PHILBRICK,  
AGNES M. BROWN,  
ELDRED W. MARSHALL,

*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

January 4, 1946



# Trust Funds--Detailed Statement

Financial Statement for Fiscal Year ending December 31, 1945

(1) *Individual Trusts:*

*Receipts*

Balance of income Jan. 1, 1945 .....	\$2,067.21
Income for year ending Dec. 31, 1945 ..	1,042.07
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	\$3,109.28

*Expenditures*

John E. Anthes, library trustee .....	\$361.87
Ernest O. Foss, cemetery trustee .....	417.16
Plants for Eisener lot .....	2.00
Brokerage expense .....	10.58
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	\$791.61

Balance of income Jan. 1, 1946 .....	\$2,317.67
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(2) *Dalton Fund:*

*Receipts*

Balance of income Jan. 1, 1945 .....	\$6,130.21
Income for year ending Dec. 31, 1945 ..	2,318.34
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	\$8,448.55

*Expenditures*

Katherine E. Berry, stenographer .....	\$9.75
Rand-Pickering Express, Inc. ....	3.61
Power Lawn Mower Service Co. ....	51.75
Wilson's, gas and oil .....	1.95
W. E. Garland, tools .....	3.50

Keith's Garage, repairs . . . . .	\$5.50
Ernest A. Tucker, services and supplies . .	41.88
Kenneth Larrabee, labor . . . . .	88.00
Frank Meloon, labor . . . . .	32.00
Ernest O. Foss, labor . . . . .	989.50
I. A. Jenness, gas and oil . . . . .	26.26
Shirley S. Philbrick, expenses . . . . .	20.50
Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co., box rent . . . . .	3.60
Brokerage expense . . . . .	2.68
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	\$1,280.48
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Balance of income Jan. 1, 1946 . . . . .	\$7,168.07
(3) <i>Total balance of income of all trusts on hand Jan. 1, 1945, sum of (1) and (2)</i>	\$9,485.74

AGNES M. BROWN,

*Treasurer Trust Funds.*

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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK,  
LESTER J. STAPLES,

*Auditors.*

Dated January 12, 1946.

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Rye, N. H., for the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date of Creation	No.	Trust Funds	Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at End of Year
May 27, 1909	1	J. Disen Jennings	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	\$222.25	2 1/2	\$10.66			
May 27, 1909	2	David Philbrick	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan, U. S. Bond G	108.90	2 1/2, 4 1/2	57.28	4.92	4.63	57.57
Aug. 10, 1907	3	Jane A. Rand	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan, U. S. Bond G	108.90	2 1/2, 4 1/2	85.58	5.48	4.62	86.44
Aug. 10, 1907	4	Mrs. Charles T. Lang	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.90	2 1/2	108.90	2.02	2.02	108.90
Aug. 5, 1909	5	Lizzie A. Brown	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.90	2 1/2	0.69	4.37	2.77	11.29
Dec. 27, 1911	6	Abby S. Parsons	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.90	2 1/2	39.32	4.97	4.02	40.27
May 7, 1912	7	Daniel T. Marden	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	103.40	2 1/2	103.40	1.65	1.65	103.40
Jan. 7, 1913	8	Elizabeth A. Rand	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan, U. S. Bond Ser.G	108.57	2 1/2, 4 1/2	34.28	7.09	5.65	35.72
Jan. 10, 1914	9	Oliver W. Trefethen	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.58	2 1/2	23.41	4.64	4.02	24.03
July 17, 1913	10	T. Ira Marden	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.58	2 1/2	108.58	1.60	1.60	108.58
Jan. 1, 1918	11	Conestogrow	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.58	2 1/2	7.99	4.30	2.27	8.62
June 25, 1919	12	Thomas W. Parsons	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan, U. S. Bond G	400.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	54.15	11.96	9.89	50.22
May 21, 1919	13	Annie H. Mathes	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	217.00	2 1/2	108.58	4.62	3.12	109.00
Dec. 1, 1920	14	Mary Ellen Foss	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.58	2 1/2	8.35	4.32	2.77	9.90
July 20, 1920	15	Augustus W. Mills	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.90	2 1/2	10.17	4.37	3.00	11.54
Jan. 4, 1917	16	James H. Locke	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	217.00	2 1/2	108.58	4.22	3.00	108.60
Apr. 17, 1921	17	Mary D. Foss	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.58	2 1/2	10.63	4.36	2.77	12.22
Sept. 15, 1915	18	Daniel W. Dalton	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	110.00	23.45	10.62	123.79
Sept. 30, 1920	19	Phillip W. Tucker	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, Town Loan	108.90	2 1/2	85.97	4.62	2.77	86.10
Feb. 7, 1912	20	Benjamin F. Webster	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	561.88	2 1/2	2.71	22.32	22.08	2.95
Nov. 11, 1916	21	James H. Locke	Library	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	561.88	2 1/2	2.71	22.32	22.08	2.95
Nov. 27, 1909	22	J. Disen Jennings	Library	Town Loan, U. S. Bond G	225.70	2 1/2				
June 1, 1921	23	Eliza A. Foss	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	107.40	2 1/2	8.50	4.34	3.00	9.84
July 9, 1921	25	Martha A. Seavey	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	97.42	20.18	17.00	100.60
June 9, 1921	26	Horace Sawyer	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	522.74	2 1/2	20.18	28.00	30.71	
Apr. 1, 1921	27	Sheridan Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	26.82	8.02	6.00	29.81
Aug. 22, 1921	28	James McEwen Drake	Library	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	508.54	2 1/2	5.06	202.88	202.00	0.54
Jan. 7, 1922	29	Emery C. Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	109.40	2 1/2	10.90	4.47	3.00	11.37
Feb. 1, 1922	30	Samuel B. Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	504.62	2 1/2	34.35	20.80	15.08	40.02
July 7, 1917	31	Mary Tuck Rand Memorial	Library	Ports. Sav. Bank, U. S. Bond G	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	7.00	2.62	2.50	6.82
Feb. 28, 1922	32	Anna F. Brown	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	116.90	2 1/2	11.60	5.98	3.41	8.67
Mar. 1, 1922	33	Charles D. Garland	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	101.61	2 1/2	13.41	4.29	3.00	14.70
Mar. 28, 1922	34	William H. Garland	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	101.61	2 1/2	13.41	4.29	3.00	14.70
Mar. 28, 1922	35	Emmons G. Garland	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	101.61	2 1/2	13.41	4.29	3.00	14.70
May 27, 1922	36	William E. Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	14.51	4.52	3.00	16.03
Sept. 2, 1922	37	Joseph W. Berry	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan, U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	18.27	4.09	3.33	19.03
Oct. 27, 1922	38	Ralph T. Marden	Library	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2				
Nov. 1, 1922	39	Elizabeth A. Rand	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	13.51	4.50	3.00	15.01
July 9, 1923	40	Cortland deLacey Evans	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	85.20	22.04	15.00	93.11
Jan. 11, 1924	41	Annie M. Ellingwood	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	10.00	4.44	3.00	11.44
Mar. 1, 1924	42	Charles A. Locke	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	26.35	6.78	4.25	28.88
May 6, 1924	43	Willard A. Trefethen	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	30.63	4.85	3.00	32.48
Apr. 12, 1925	44	F. Benning Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	18.18	5.00	3.00	19.77
May 15, 1925	45	J. Curtis Philbrick	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	162.00	2 1/2	11.78	1.31	3.00	16.09
July 6, 1925	46	Dr. John W. Parsons	Library	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	9.38	20.30	19.12	10.50
Nov. 14, 1925	47	Lucena A. Yeaton	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	22.21	6.67	3.00	25.88
Jan. 7, 1926	48	James Philbrick	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	205.25	2 1/2	12.70	8.84	5.50	16.10
Jan. 4, 1927	49	Ella M. Foss	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	101.05	2 1/2, 4 1/2	15.06	4.66	3.00	17.12
Apr. 6, 1927	50	Jennie E. Pinder	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	103.00	2 1/2	10.30	4.60	3.00	12.90
May 10, 1927	51	Norman Goss	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, U. S. Bond G	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	0.70	1.63	1.00	11.39
May 20, 1927	52	Alfred V. Seavey	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	201.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	27.55	7.30	1.50	30.35
Jan. 31, 1928	53	Joseph W. Seavey	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	12.00	1.80	1.12	13.12
May 1, 1928	54	Victor Perry Grand	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	15.06	4.55	3.00	17.61
Sept. 6, 1928	55	Locke Family Association	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	100.00	2 1/2	3.89	2.67	1.75	4.21
July 16, 1929	56	Mrs. John L. Berry	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, U. S. Bond G	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	32.00	8.83	3.00	37.83
July 10, 1929	57	John L. Berry	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, U. S. Bond G	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	21.51	3.29	3.87	20.93
Nov. 25, 1929	58	Charles A. Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond G	100.00	2 1/2	0.11	1.62	0.91	0.79
Nov. 25, 1929	59	Susan A. Goss	Library	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2				
Nov. 25, 1929	60	Susan A. Goss	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	61.36	16.83	11.63	63.56
Jan. 27, 1930	61	George H. Brown	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	17.00	1.58	1.25	17.49
May 1, 1930	62	Albert L. Locke	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	103.82	2 1/2	10.38	2.11	1.61	11.86
Sept. 2, 1930	63	Charles W. Spear	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	130.00	2 1/2	10.62	5.64	4.25	21.01
Nov. 1, 1930	64	Sophia E. Smith	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	17.72	2.78	4.44	16.07
Dec. 1, 1930	65	John E. Hartlett	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond	108.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	10.80	4.25	1.60	12.45
Nov. 10, 1931	66	Dalton Fund	Cemetery	Bonds, Stocks, Bank Deposits, Real Estate	56,838.93	2 1/2	6,130.21	2,311.31	1,280.48	7,168.07
Jan. 31, 1933	67	Oliver Perry Garland	Library	Town Loan	500.00	0				
Jan. 31, 1933	68	Francis Garland Elsenor	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Town Loan	100.00	2 1/2	31.37	2.00	2.00	37.01
Apr. 1, 1934	69	Caroline M. Dyer	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	100.00	2 1/2	3.78	2.07	1.75	4.10
June 6, 1934	70	Elizabeth R. Hurke	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond G	100.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	11.88	2.72	2.00	12.60
July 5, 1934	71	Louise T. Thibault	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., Gen. Motors Stock	100.00	div.	16.87	1.80	1.50	18.09
Oct. 24, 1934	72	David J. Drake	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	200.00	2 1/2	38.82	4.79	3.00	40.61
Feb. 6, 1935	73	John E. Anthes	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	200.00	2 1/2	9.18	4.20	2.00	11.38
Jan. 1, 1935	74	William Trefethen	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank, Town Loan	200.00	2 1/2, 4 1/2	38.00	4.00	4.25	46.99
Sept. 13, 1935	75	Levi W. Marden	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	100.00	2 1/2	0.85	2.05	1.75	4.15
May 6, 1936	76	Louisa Swenson	Cemetery	Portsmouth Sav. Bank	200.00	2 1/2	14.12	4.28	3.00	14.40
June 12, 1936	77	John Squire	Cemetery	Portsmouth Sav. Bank	100.00	2 1/2	10.00	1.13	0.40	11.73
July 5, 1936	78	Bertha A. Trefethen	Cemetery	Portsmouth Sav. Bank	100.00	2 1/2	10.40	2.21	4.00	8.61
July 10, 1936	79	Albert H. Drake	Cemetery	Portsmouth Sav. Bank	100.00	2 1/2	4.18	2.60	2.00	4.57
Sept. 2, 1936	80	Locke Family Association	Cemetery	Portsmouth Sav. Bank	200.00	2 1/2	2.00	2.65	1.50	3.20
Jan. 26, 1937	81	George G. White	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	101.00	2 1/2	18.35	2.30	1.50	20.74
Apr. 30, 1937	82	Florence A. Jenness	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	200.00	2 1/2	2.00	4.18	3.50	8.68
July 3, 1937	83	Archie G. May	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	100.00	2 1/2	10.00	4.05	1.13	11.13
May 20, 1938	84	Edgar B. Gilmore	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	150.00	2 1/2	4.34	3.00	2.50	4.93
Jan. 12, 1938	85	Edith E. Whidden	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank Chrysler Corp. stock	106.00	2 div.	17.70	3.95	4.00	22.65
Jan. 1, 1938	86	Edith E. Whidden	Cemetery	Piscataqua Sav. Bank	150.00	2 1/2	15.00	4.00	3.50	17.50
Nov. 21, 1938	87	Mrs. Cyrus H. Rand	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	200.00	2 1/2	2.46	3.00	3.00	5.56
Nov. 21, 1938	88	Freeman H. Marden	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	150.00	2 1/2	3.25	4.07	2.00	4.82
Jan. 1, 1939	89	William Trefethen	Cemetery	New Hampshire Sav. Bank Concord	200.00	2 1/2	22.00	11.66	1.00	23.66
Nov. 15, 1939	90	Arthur L. Brown	Cemetery	First National Bank of Boston, Ports. Sav. Bank	123.00	2 div.	18.00	6.31	2.50	21.81

May 6, 1940	91	John H. and George E. Foss	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	\$150.00	2	\$7.54	\$3.16	\$1.50	\$9.20
June 22, 1940	92	William G. Miller	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	75.00	2	3.64	1.57	.75	4.46
July 1, 1940	93	Euel A. Fowles	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co.	75.00	2	3.64	1.58	.75	4.47
Jan. 22, 1941	94	Mary Waldron Varrell	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co. Bank Stocks	500.00	2 div.	60.71	26.32	10.00	77.03
Jan. 22, 1941	95	Forrest Clinton Varrell	Library	Bank Stocks	1,000.00	div.		50.24		
Jan. 27, 1941	96	Irving W. Garland	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank	200.00	2		15.08	4.32	16.40
May 6, 1941	97	Austio N. Garland	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co. Bank Stocks	500.00	2 div.		65.74	26.36	10.00
May 17, 1941	98	Minerva Varrell Boss	Cemetery	Bank Stocks	150.00	div.		18.65	7.54	4.00
Oct. 7, 1941	99	Flora B. Seavey	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	1.25
Oct. 7, 1941	100	Walter S. Philbrick	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	1.25
Oct. 7, 1941	101	Frank M. Philbrick	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	1.25
Oct. 7, 1941	102	Edward P. Philbrick	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	1.25
Dec. 17, 1941	103	Lizzie B. Philbrick	Library	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Series G	234.83	2, 2 1/2		1.80	5.72	5.00
Dec. 26, 1941	104	C. Austin Jenness	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	300.00	2 1/2		9.75	7.50	3.00
Mar. 23, 1942	105	Philip Miles	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guarantee Co.	75.00	2		3.98	1.57	5.50
June 10, 1942	106	Elmer H. Smith	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		4.25	2.50	2.00
Sept. 5, 1942	107	William C. Philbrick	Cemetery	Stock American Tel. & Tel. Co.	100.00	div.		14.25	9.00	4.75
Mar. 29, 1943	108	Robert M. Herrick	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Ser. G	150.00	2, 2 1/2		2.85	3.55	3.00
Apr. 21, 1943	109	George B. Rogers	Cemetery	Ports. Sav. Bank, N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Stock	300.00	2 div.		15.00	12.00	2.50
May 24, 1943	110	Arthur M. Foss	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	2.00
Apr. 7, 1944	111	Virgil D. Harrington	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	2.00
Apr. 25, 1944	112	Susan Minnette Foss	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Series G	300.00	2, 2 1/2 div.		4.18	12.36	7.63
May 18, 1944	113	Wells G. Nickerson	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Am. Tel. & Tel.	100.00	2 1/2		1.25	3.50	2.00
June 24, 1944	115	James H. Perkins	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	100.00	div.		4.75	27.00	4.95
July 3, 1944	116	Elizabeth S. Philbrick	Cemetery	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Stock, First National Bank	500.00	div.		2.00	6.00	2.50
Jan. 20, 1945	117	George N. Perry	Cemetery	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Stock	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	2.00	3.00
Apr. 11, 1945	118	Charles L. Burns	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	150.00	2 1/2		1.91		1.91
May 26, 1945	119	Fannie Drake	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Ser. G	200.00	2 1/2		2.50	1.50	1.00
June 12, 1945	120	Austin W. Hawes	Cemetery	U. S. Bond, Series G	200.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	5.50
Aug. 11, 1945	121	F. L. Thompson	Cemetery	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	300.00	div.		13.50	8.00	
		Low Siedlinger	Cemetery	Ports. Trust & Guar. Co., U. S. Bond, Ser. G	150.00	2, 2 1/2				
					\$85,552.39		\$8,197.42 \$3,360.41 \$2,072.09 \$9,485.74			

We, the undersigned, have checked the securities and have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.  
Dated January 12, 1946.

NEIL B. PHILBRICK, LESTER J. STAPLES, Auditors.

# Report of the School Board

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*The School Board respectfully submits the following report:*

At the close of the school year we realize more than ever how fortunate we were to secure Mr. Day as principal. He has been very co-operative both in and out of the school.

We were sorry to lose our second and third grade teachers, and again we were fortunate in securing two experienced teachers. It seems very nice to have an art teacher again this year. We know both teachers and pupils appreciate her very much. Also the new music teacher who seems to be particularly well qualified for her work.

We secured Francis Coakley to do the machine work on the play ground and the men of the Parent-Teacher Association, under the leadership of Mr. Day, did a fine job in finishing up the work. A great big thank you goes to all of them.

Under Mr. Day's leadership a new moving picture machine, with a sound track, has been purchased.

After waiting nearly a year for the workman, the lightning damage on the cupola has been repaired by the insurance companies.

We would thank the Every Other Tuesday Club, the Darning Needle Club for all the nice things they continue to do for the school and pupils. The dancing class sponsored by the Parent-Teachers was a very popular extra curricular activity and the social times were enjoyed by pupils and their parents.

ELIZABETH M. MARDEN,  
LESTER J. STAPLES,  
MARY P. VARRELL,

*School Board.*

# Report of Superintendent of Schools

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*To the School Board of Rye:*

I herewith present my sixteenth report as superintendent of your schools.

The current school year began Wednesday, September 5, 1945, with an initial enrollment of 232. This is an increase of eleven pupils over the initial enrollment of the previous year. It is noticeable that the drop in enrollment between grade one and the junior high is very small. The present eighth grade on September, 1937, was 31. Its membership now is 26. The growth of the student population can be shown by comparison of the enrollment of ten years ago with that of the current time. In the fall of 1935, our September enrollment was 148 as compared with the 232 of 1945. The average grade size was 18.5 pupils while the corresponding figure this year is 29. The former staff of six teachers is now increased to nine. It is also interesting to note that the per pupil cost for the elementary schools of Rye during 1934-35, as determined by the State Board of Education was \$107.96 while that for the year 1943-44 (the latest figure available) was \$103.16, a decrease of \$4.80 in spite of increased costs in every department.

The teaching staff of your school is working as a unit. Teachers consult with teachers. This is a result of a consolidated school but it is also a result of the earnest endeavor of all concerned to render the best service to your children. Your two new teachers are Mrs. Esther Underwood in grade two and Miss Barbara Scammon in grade three. They have adopted the Rye standard of achievement. They are trained and skilled teachers. I believe the results they obtain will be gratifying to parents and school officials alike. Mrs. Underwood is a graduate of Lowell Teachers' College and Miss Scammon a graduate of Wheelock College.

The work of our English department under the direction of



Mrs. Seavey is favorably known by the officials of the schools which our pupils later attend. Miss Edwards continues her consistently thorough training in Arithmetic and Mathematics. Mrs. Del Bianco has taken over the difficult assignment of the Home Economics field. A visit to her classes will convince anyone of the practical results of her work. Miss Wakefield and Mrs. Jenness are doing a great deal of individual work with the pupils. It is in these two grades that pupils must be taught to work independently and "on their own." Study habits must be established and improved to a point where the pupils will be enabled to enter upon the work of the junior high school.

The work of the three lower grades is fundamentally the teaching of reading. Mrs. Makin is giving our pupils a firm foundation upon which to build. Mrs. Underwood and Miss Scammon complete the work of teaching the fundamentals of reading. Upon them rests the responsibility of developing the mechanics of this skill upon which success in the later grades depends.

Once again Rye pupils have teachers in Art and Music. Mrs. Naves, our former art teacher, left us for work at Camp Devens. Miss Martin, a graduate of Massachusetts School of Art, is now in charge. Art is a part of training which must be developed if a full life is to be the lot of our pupils. Mrs. Leona Foster has taken over the music work. Her enthusiasm is great. Her pupils reflect this enthusiasm. Together with her knowledge of the subject, results are well worth while.

Mr. Day, our principal, is an efficient administrator. He is interested in the individual problems of each pupil. He has established a morale in the school which makes it a pleasant and busy world of co-workers.

The Rye School is continuing the work in guidance which was begun last year. In the elementary grades the object is primarily to ascertain the natural interests and abilities of the pupils during these years. While the results of various interest charts and aptitude tests are not meant to be conclusive they

do give a lead toward types of interests and types of abilities. Too often children drift unthinkingly into activities for which they are not adapted. This testing program, at least, gives them the opportunity of a serious analysis of themselves. We believe this is all to the good. It is not intended that these tests shall enable a pupil to choose his life work at this early age but it is intended that he shall know his own fields of strengths. It is not too early to consider these things. Boston University offers a counseling department to the schools of New England. It might be well to consider using part of this service as a further help to our children. This would bring a trained councilor to Rye to consult with our children and advise them as to further schooling. In the highly competitive conditions of the immediate future it is important that each be busy in the field of his best capabilities.

Rye School now has a sound moving picture projector, acquired through the generosity of parents and friends of the school. We are enabled to receive the newest and best in visual aids. The experience of the Army in training its personnel has proved that facts acquired by sight are remembered more easily than those learned through reading. The pictures will be used to supplement the class room work.

The Parent-Teacher Association continues its service to the schools of Rye. Through this organization close co-operation between home and school is assured. Its annual fall vaccination clinic enables children of the first grade to start the year without needless absence. It is to the P. T. A. that school officials look for support in all forward movements in education. The P. T. A., nationally and locally, can be depended upon.

The plan adopted a year ago for the physical examinations of our pupils has been followed this year. Under this arrangement each pupil is given a thorough examination in two grades of our school. This seems to be preferable to the program of earlier years when each pupil in school was tested yearly. Dr. White and Mrs. Lindsey have charge of the health of our children. Their reports merit careful reading.



The Rye pupils have contributed consistently to the bond drives as shown by the returns to the headquarters of the state office. During the last complete school year they purchased \$2,304.35 in war stamps and \$468.75 in war bonds. The Victory Loan drive of this fall recorded \$708.95 as the purchases by Rye school pupils.

I wish to express my thanks to the principal and the teachers of the Rye school for help and support during the past year.

The decisions of the School Board have been made with the welfare of the children as the guide. For your valued advice and guidance I wish to express my appreciation. It has made the year one of uniform achievement.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY W. GILLMORE,

*Superintendent of Schools.*

December 31, 1945

# School Statistics, 1944-1945

## ATTENDANCE

<i>School</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Av. Memb.</i>	<i>No. Tardy</i>	<i>% of Attend.</i>	<i>Attend. Roll of Honor</i>
Jr. High, 7-8		John H. Day, Prin.....	39.59	15	96.31	3
		Hazelle Seavey.....				
		Irene Del Bianco.....				
Interm.	6	Lina Edwards .....	27.89	9	92.86	2
	5	E. Patricia Jenness .....	33.89	16	93.18	2
	4	Barbara Wakefield .....	24.84	13	90.86	1
Primary	3	Elsie Kalin .....	25.17	9	92.33	3
	2	Edna Dearborn .....	29.96	19	91.32	0
	1	Sylvia Makin .....	28.02	10	90.36	1
Music		Geneva Southwick.....				
Total or average .....			209.36	91	92.46	12

## PROMOTIONS, JUNE 1945

<i>Grades</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<i>Total</i>
Promoted	25	28	25	21	29	27	22	12	189
Not promoted	3	3	0	3	4	0	2	2	17
Average age...	6-11	7-3	8-3	9-1	10-4	11-4	12-3	13-5	

## ENROLLMENT FALL TERM, 1945

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Grade</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<i>Total</i>
Jr. High,	John H. Day, Prin. ....		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	29
	Hazelle Seavey.....		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
	Irene Del Bianco.....		..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	26
Interm.	Lina Edwards .....		..	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	30
	E. Patricia Jenness .....		..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	25
	Barbara Wakefield .....		..	..	27	..	..	..	..	..	27
Primary	Barbara Scammon.....		..	31	..	..	..	..	..	..	31
	Esther Underwood ....		31	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31
	Sylvia Makin .....	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33
Music	Leona Foster .....										
Art	Dorothea Martin....										
			33	31	31	27	25	30	26	29	232

## SUMMARY, 1944-1945

Value of site and buildings .....	\$55,000.00
Value of equipment .....	5,500.00
Average salary of women teachers .....	1,388.00
Average salary of men teachers .....	2,200.00
Visits by school board .....	16
Visits by superintendent .....	176
Visits by citizens .....	166
Total number of school days .....	176

## ATTENDANCE ROLL OF HONOR

John A. Blanchard	James A. Hanson
Marjorie Brown	Bette Hanson
Joan Millette	Cynthia Cameron
Lorraine Cameron	Byron Curtis
Frances Volkman	Bradley Trefethen
Forrest L. Beasley	Gail Tucker

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PUPILS ATTENDING SCHOOLS OUTSIDE OF RYE  
ON WHOM THE DISTRICT PAYS TUITION

## SEPTEMBER ENROLLMENT

*Hampton Academy and High School:*

Dale Clayton	Leroy Paul
Doris Jenness	Samuel Reddy
Raymond Paul	Allan Brown
Charlotte Reddy	Alice Hammond
	Patricia Swinerton

*Portsmouth High School:*

Draper, Fred	Keenan, Gordon
Emery, George	Kleine, Iris
Fields, Carol	Marshall, Walter
Hanson, Mary	McIntyre, Patricia
Iovine, Marjorie	Morrill, Robert
Lorenz, Elsie	Myers, Kathleen
Lydston, Richard	Peabody, Shirley
Makin, Harry	Ray, Verne
Melvin, Ellen	Sitman, Johanne
Orcutt, Benjamin	Smart, Helen
Parsons, Priscilla	Verett, Anne
Saunders, Barbara	Williams, Mendarus
Stanley, Sylvia	Ancona, Mary Lou
Stetson, Robert	Gove, Betty
Sullivan, John	Hanson, Charles
Trefethen, Richard	Keith, Jane
Trueman, Paul	Marshall, David
Volkman, Priscilla	McLaughlin, Betty
Worden, Joyce	Pickering, Ann
Wormwood, Gerald	Shaw, Barbara
Clough, Joan	Trueman, Lucille
Keech, Roland	Fallon, Thomas

*Portsmouth Junior High School, Grade IX:*

Bowie, Shirley	Goudreau, George
Bruce, Margaret	Hanson, Julia
Burke, Betty	Lowe, Ernest
Cummings, Porter	Miller, Gerald
Gordon, Dorothy	Remick, Marianne
	Worden, Earl

# Report of School Nurse

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The annual school examinations were conducted in September 1945. Grades II and VI were examined by Dr. White, the school physician, and the remaining grades by the school nurse. The summary of the examination follows:

Underweight	9		
Defective vision	5	Defects corrected	4
Defective hearing	2	Defects corrected	1
Defective teeth	27	Defects corrected	93
Diseased tonsils	22	Defects corrected	9
Adenoids	8	Defects corrected	9
Enlarged glands	6	Defects corrected	5

The dental clinic was held January through April, 1945, at Dr. Pierson's office in Hampton. Through the generosity of the Rye Motor Corps the children were taken to the clinic and returned to school by the nurse. The next clinic will be held during the winter months.

Number of cases of communicable diseases:

Chicken pox	2
Scarlet fever	5
Mumps	88
Skin disease	5

In cases of communicable diseases, Dr. White checks with the nurse, the children are examined for any possible symptoms, and excluded from school if necessary.

First aid supplies are provided for the school through the generosity of the Red Cross.

The yearly summer Round-up clinic sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association was held in June. This clinic enables the pre-school child to have a complete physical examination and vaccination, if so desired. Physical defects may be corrected during the summer and the child is physically fit for school in September.

Visits are made to the home in regard to physical defects and sickness.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY LINDSEY, R. N.

# Report of School Physician

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Owing to the fact that the school physical examination was not completed until late in the school year last spring and that the examination this year was done early we really completed four grades within the year and had a chance to check over defects found in the earlier examination.

We feel sure that the present system of giving a more thorough going over of two grades each year has resulted in obtaining correction of defects found.

The general improvement in the health and physical condition of the pupils in the school is more apparent each year and is a marked change from the number of defects found when we first started to check up on the health of the children some years ago.

My thanks to the parents for their fine co-operation. We found but few things needing attention in our examination this year and found a very gratifying number of cases which had benefited by following suggestions made at previous examinations.

So far we have had no epidemic of any contagious disease and let us hope we have none.

Let me call attention again to the rule of the School Board that any child who has been absent due to any contagious disease obtain a certificate of good health before returning to school.

Respectfully,

HERBERT A. WHITE, M.D.

*School Physician.*

# School District--Financial Report

Beginning July 1, 1944, to June 30, 1945

## *Receipts*

Cash on hand July 1, 1944 . . . . .	\$2,661.35
From selectmen on current appropriation .	28,000.00
Balance of previous appropriation . . . . .	5,000.00
Refund on salary . . . . .	50.00
Other sources . . . . .	3.66
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	\$35,715.01

## *Expenditures*

### *Salaries of District Officers:*

Newell P. Marden, moderator . . . . .	\$2.00
Helen M. Philbrick, clerk . . . . .	2.00
Alma G. Hill, auditor . . . . .	3.00
Neil B. Philbrick, auditor . . . . .	3.00
Agnes M. Brown, treasurer . . . . .	100.00
Lester J. Staples, member of school board	50.00
Mary P. Varrell, member of school board	50.00
Elizabeth M. Marden, member of school board . . . . .	75.00
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	\$285.00

### *Superintendent's Salary:*

Roy W. Gillmore . . . . .	\$449.02
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	\$449.02

### *Truant Officer and School Census:*

Ulman W. Seavey . . . . .	\$25.00
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	\$25.00



*Expense of Administration:*

New England Tel. & Tel. ....	\$49.22
Portsmouth Flower Shop .....	10.30
R. W. Gillmore, share of clerk hire .....	128.70
Hampton School District, share of office rent .....	35.00
E. E. Babb & Co. ....	1.01
Portsmouth Herald Publishing Co. ....	3.53
Edson Eastman & Co. ....	9.12
S. P. Blaisdell .....	8.50
E. M. Marden, telephone .....	6.40
Agnes M. Brown, postage .....	8.40

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 \$260.18
*Teachers' Salaries:*

John H. Day .....	\$1,833.10
Hazelle H. Seavey .....	1,838.60
Irene C. Del Bianco .....	1,251.20
Mrs. Arthur Russell .....	229.23
Lina R. Edwards .....	1,634.15
Patricia D. Jenness .....	1,233.40
Barbara Wakefield .....	1,113.40
Lucille Sterling .....	224.25
Elsie S. Kalinowski .....	1,123.40
Edna A. Dearborn .....	1,233.40
Sylvia S. Makin .....	1,233.40
Janice Naves .....	66.80
Geneva Southwick .....	324.96
Mrs. Elva Bartlett .....	20.00
Mrs. Florence Batchelder .....	90.00
Mrs. Edith Clough .....	5.00
Mrs. Isabelle Daniels .....	5.00
Phyllis Jones .....	82.50
Mrs. Ruth Russell .....	55.00

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 \$13,606.04

*Text Books:*

Row Peterson Co. ....	\$138.20
Mitchell's express. ....	.36
Webster Publishing Co. ....	81.21
John C. Winston Co. ....	23.01
Boston Music Co. ....	10.08
Curriculum Research Co. ....	3.00
Arlo Publishing Co. ....	19.93
American Book Co. ....	32.32
McGraw Hill Book Co. ....	25.29
Charles E. Merrill . . . . .	53.30
Hampton School District . . . . .	9.00
Allyn & Bacon Co. ....	8.92
D. Appleton Century Co. ....	32.42
World Book Co. ....	30.65
Beckley-Cardy Co. ....	11.46
Bobbs Merrill Co. ....	18.40
Ginn & Co. ....	53.61
Henry Holt & Co. ....	21.79
Laidlow Bros. ....	11.22
J. P. Lippincott . . . . .	1.41
Macmillan Co. ....	13.08
Scott Foresman Co. ....	23.72
L. W. Singer Co. ....	6.98
O. H. Toothaker . . . . .	8.00

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 \$637.36
*Scholars' Supplies:*

D. F. Borthwick . . . . .	\$1.47
Frontier Press of Boston . . . . .	12.58
E. E. Babb & Co. ....	252.63
Mitchell's Express . . . . .	.52
Gledhill Bros., Inc. ....	55.95
H. L. Hammett Co. ....	19.07
Henry S. Wolkins Co. ....	8.82

Edwards Typewriter Co. ....	\$13.75
Iroquois Publishing Co. ....	6.82
Boston Music Co. ....	2.13
M. P. Alkon Co. ....	3.15
Neil B. Philbrick ....	3.79
American Education Press ....	18.00
Theodore Presser Co. ....	1.27
World Book Co. ....	15.81
Eagle Photo Studio ....	8.72
Arthur P. Schmidt & Co. ....	2.27
Chauncey B. Hoyt Co. ....	1.35
R. D. McDonough. ....	16.05
E. M. Marden, express on apples ....	2.62

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\$446.77

*Flags and Appurtenances:*

Shaw Raynes, flag rope. ....	\$1.58
E. E. Babb & Co., Inc. ....	18.23

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\$19.81

*Other Expenses of Instruction:*

Strawberry Bank Print Shop ....	\$6.75
Allyn & Bacon ....	16.00
R. D. McDonough. ....	27.25
Row Peterson & Co. ....	2.62
Webster Publishing Co. ....	17.22
Pinkham's Repair Shop ....	5.30
Hampton Publishing Co. ....	21.00
The Palmer Co. ....	5.24
F. J. Barnard Co. ....	11.03
World Book Co. ....	8.37
A. J. Nystrom & Co. ....	2.58
Mitchell's Express ....	1.81
A. H. Rice & Co. ....	2.18
Public School Publishing Co. ....	3.18

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\$130.53

*Janitor Service:*

Charles F. Fulford .....	\$1,800.00
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	\$1,800.00

*Fuel:*

C. E. Walker Co. ....	\$707.28
Consolidated Coal Co. ....	222.00
Community Gas Co. ....	12.00
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	\$941.28

*Water, Light and Janitor's Supplies:*

N. H. Gas & Electric Co. ....	\$279.98
Glazer & Fox .....	20.58
L. B. Philbrick Co. ....	54.40
L. L. Peavey Co. ....	13.65
West Disinfecting Co. ....	32.61
Hampton School District .....	6.80
C. F. Fulford .....	4.00
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	\$412.02

*Minor Repairs and Expenses:*

T. A. Dionne .....	\$85.85
Portsmouth Window Cleaners .....	50.00
Landers & Griffin .....	359.02
L. L. Peavey .....	1.70
I. W. Rand .....	3.95
West Disinfecting Co. ....	134.84
J. M. Gamache .....	2.50
Walter Redden .....	6.85
Rand Pickering Express .....	1.40
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	\$651.46

*Medical Inspection:*

Dr. H. A. White .....	\$50.00	
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*School Nurse:*

Dorothy Lindsay .....	\$361.60	
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*Transportation:*

B. & M. Transportation Co. ....	\$3,477.00	
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*Tuition:*

Portsmouth School District .....	\$4,860.00	
Hampton School District .....	1,208.08	
	<hr/>	\$6,068.08

*Insurance:*

Paul W. Hobbs, bond .....	\$5.00	
A. R. Kendall .....	157.50	
J. C. Carberry .....	11.25	
	<hr/>	\$173.75

*Per Capita Tax:*

F. Gordon Kimball .....	\$638.00	
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*New Equipment:*

E. E. Babb & Co. ....	\$128.26	
Portsmouth Hardware Co. ....	39.95	
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		\$168.21

*Debt Service:*

First National Bank of Boston:		
principal on loan .....	\$3,000.00	
First National Bank of Boston:		
interest .....	1,041.25	
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		\$4,041.25

*Lunch Room:*

Doris Hathaway .....	\$2.00	
Lois Barnett .....	98.00	
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		\$100.00

*Summary of Expenses:*

Salaries of district officers .....	\$285.00
Superintendent's salary .....	449.02
Truant officer and school census .....	25.00
Expenses of administration .....	260.18
Teachers' salaries .....	13,606.04
Text-books .....	637.36
Scholars' supplies .....	446.77
Flags .....	19.81
Other expenses of instruction .....	130.53
Janitor service .....	1,800.00
Fuel .....	941.28
Water, light and janitor's supplies .....	412.02
Medical inspection .....	50.00

School nurse .....	\$361.60
Minor repairs and expenses .....	651.46
Transportation of pupils .....	3,477.00
High school tuition .....	6,068.08
Insurance .....	173.75
Per capita tax .....	638.00
New equipment .....	168.21
Principal on debt .....	3,000.00
Interest on debt .....	1,041.25
Lunch room assistant .....	100.00
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	\$34,745.46

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.

ALMA G. HILL,  
NEIL B. PHILBRICK,

*Auditors.*

July 6, 1945

# Report of Treasurer of School District

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945

## *Receipts*

Cash on hand June 30, 1944 ..... \$2,661.35

From Selectmen:

Balance of previous appropriation . . 5,000.00

Appropriation for current year . . . . 28,000.00

Refund on salaries . . . . . 50.00

Telephone calls . . . . . 3.66

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\$35,715.01

## *Payments*

On orders from School Board ..... 34,745.96

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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1945 . . . . \$969.05

Due on appropriation from town . . . . . 7,000.00

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\$7,969.05

Outstanding schoolhouse bonds . . . . . \$20,000.00

AGNES M. BROWN,

*Treasurer.*

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This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the School District and find them correct.

ALMA G. HILL,  
NEIL B. PHILBRICK,

*Auditors.*

Dated July 6, 1945



**VITAL  
STATISTICS**

**BIRTHS Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1945**

Date	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Living or Still- born.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan.	2 William Edward	M	3	L	Edward L. Greene	Elizabeth A. White	Island F., Me.	No. Hampton.
	30 Faye Valerie	F	3	L	Robert E. Mudgett	Thelma M. Walters	Center Sandw'h	Boston, Mass.
Mar.	2 Sheryl Jean	F	4	L	Albert J. Sanford	Norme A. McDonald	Rutland, Vt.	Rutland, Vt.
	4 Barbara Jane	F	2	L	Lawrence B. Ray	Lois E. Towle	Rye	Fremont.
	21 Linda Holly	F	1	L	Vernor T. Jones	Phyllis V. Hallowell	Lebanon, Me.	Perham, Me.
Apr.	10 Albert Arthur	M	3	L	Robert S. Scates	Clara E. Jenness	Mattapan, Ms.	Portsmouth.
	14 Jill Arlene	F	4	L	Arnold C. Trefethen	Virginia Sprague	Rye	Biddeford, Me.
	25 Richard Byron	M	2	L	Asa E. Ireland	Dorothy H. Gniffke	Greenland	Cambridge, Ms.
	27 Eric William	M	2	L	Einar Kolvig	Tao Lewis	New York, N.Y.	So. Pacific.
May	1 Frank Edward	M	2	L	Elmer H. Smith	Eleanor G. Brown	Somerville, Ms.	West Rye.
	15 Newman Gordon	M	3	L	Newman G. Goodwin	Marion E. Murray	Gloucester, Ms.	Watertown, Ms.
	27 Alexander Haig	M	4	L	Edward Herlhy	Jessie L. Haig	Boston, Mass.	Providence, R.I.
June	2 Janet Valerie	F	2	L	Robert W. Dearborn	Adeline V. Dobrydnio	Philadelphia, Pa.	Holyoke, Mass.
	8 Bruce Henry	M	2	L	Ivan R. Booker	Beatrice E. Hornel	Lincoln, Me.	Medford, Ms.
	9 Herbert Albert	M	1	L	Herbert A. Fernald	Verna E. Thompson	Portsmouth	Portsmouth.
	28 Elaina Marie	F	1	L	Paul A. Lanni	Roberta L. Winkler	N. Andover, Ms.	Manchester.
July	13 Donald James	M	3	L	Harlan W. Philbrick	Nevetta D. Randall	Rye	Roxbury, Ms.
	20 Darleen Edith	F	2	L	Howard D. Griffin	Hilda I. Walker	Raymond	Brookline, Vt.
Aug.	1 Cynthia Mae	F	2	L	Charles W. Rand	Lucy R. Duhaime	Rye	Canada.
	2 John Francis	M	2	L	Francis H. Forbes, Jr.	Alga A. Woodman	Panama	Kiowa, Kans.
Sept.	17 Barbara Ruth	F	7	L	Charles Hanson, Jr.	Julia E. Adams	Portsmouth	Barnet, Vt.
	12 John Wendell	M	1	L	John W. Dickie	Jessie M. Becker	Lawrence, Ms.	Portsmouth.
Oct.	23 Bonnie L.	F	3	L	Artis F. Remick	Eva D. Gerrish	Rye	Lynn, Mass.

Nov.	2	Susan E.	.....	F	1	L	Fred'ick E. Wartman, Jr.	Mildred T. Handke	.....	Chicago, Ill.	.....	Chicago, Ill.
	7	Dennis Paul	.....	M	11	L	Oscar F. Mudar	Elizabeth D. Morrison	.....	Portsmouth	.....	Lowell, Mass.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BLAKE H. RAND,  
*Town Clerk.*

**MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1945**

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Feb. 16	Portsmouth	Norman L. Jenness Etta P. Dickey	25 W 27 W	W W	Portsmouth Fairfield, Me.	Irving Jenness Iona A. Walker Everett O. Dickey Beatrice A. Webb	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister, Rye.
25	Meredith	Newton P. Foss Ada L. Foster	23 W 27 W	W W	Portsmouth Danvers, Mass.	Ernest O. Foss Cora W. Drake Walter W. Foster Louise H. O'Clair	1st 1st	Roland W. Nye, Clergyman, Meredith.
Mar. 8	Rye	Henry Costa Caroline R. Krula	38 W 25 W	W W	Provincet'n, Mass Cape May, N.J.	Joseph Costa Mary Solza Charles E. Krula Julia Korell	2d 2d	George H. Paul, Minister, Rye.
21	Portsmouth	James J. McKenna Lorraine A. Fogg	26 W 17 W	W W	W. Hob'cn, N. J. New Hamp'ton	Daniel McKenna Mary Storman Herman H. Fogg Sybil S. Mudgett	1st 1st	Arthur M. Mullen, Priest, Portsmouth.
Apr. 30	Dover	Philip C. Nute Dorothy M. Cottle	50 W 39 W	W W	Bartlett Portsmouth	John L. Nute Lillian J. Chesley Albert S. Cottle Flora Spinney	2d 1st	John W. Morrison, Justice of the Peace, Dover.
May 26	Kittery, Me.	Walter F. Sleeper Edna M. Rolland	23 W 16 W	W W	West Rye Lynn, Mass.	Walter D. Sleeper Adelaide M. Towle Charles H. Rolland Edna M. Boulter	1st 1st	Leslie W. Howland, Clergyman, Kittery, Me.

29	Rye	Richard C. Staples Evelyn L. Stewart	23 W 20 W	Portsmouth N. Beverly, Ms.	Lester I. Staples Myra E. Chandler Roy Stewart	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister,	Rye.
June 16	Rye	John H. Gammon, Jr. Helen M. Cotnoir	20 W 18 W	Portsmouth Berlin	Hazel G. Smalley, Sr. John H. Gammon, Sr. Edna I. Hill Alfred J. Cotnoir	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister,	Rye.
25	Dover	Carl A. Howe Ellen T. Davy	46 W 48 W	Grafton Dover	Laura L. Bedard Alpheus A. Howe Kate E. Haskins Stephen Davy	2d 1st	E. A. Murphy, Priest,	Rye.
28	Rochester	Andrew J. Fortuna Lillian E. Mahan	20 W 18 W	Auburn Lancaster	Navy Cavanaugh Frank Fortuna Sophia Moraska Joseph Mahan	1st 1st	T. J. Whelan, Priest,	Dover.
July 8	Rye Beach	Edwin S. Beckwith Jessica V. Gardner	39 W 26 W	Wollaston, Ms. Boston, Mass.	Lena L'Esperance Harry H. Beckwith Isabel Doris Walter S. Gardner	2d 1st	George H. Paul, Minister,	Rochester.
22	Rye	Tolford J. Melvin, Jr. Mary C. Staples	22 W 20 W	Laconia Portsmouth	Lila H. Durrell Tolford J. Melvin Ethel Thompson Lester J. Staples	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister,	Rye.
Aug. 21	Hampton	Eben C. Morrison Sally F. Lovett	49 W 49 W	Stoncham, Ms. Brookfield, Vt.	Myra E. Chandler William H. Morrison Mary A. King Edward A. Fitts	2d 2d	Floyd G. Kinsley, Clergyman,	Rye.
Oct. 4	Rye	Alonzo W. Kidder Maude J. Weed	77 W 70 W	Goffstown Maidstone, Vt.	Minnie Camp Augustus Kidder Josephine V. Koskey Charles Hubbard Mary Perry	2d 2d	George H. Paul, Minister,	Hampton. Rye.

**MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1945**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Place of Marriage.</b>	<b>Name and Surname of groom and bride.</b>	<b>Age in years.</b>	<b>Color of each.</b>	<b>Place of Birth of each.</b>	<b>Names of Parents.</b>	<b>Condition.</b>	<b>Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.</b>
Oct. 21	Rye	Wilford J. Rand. Irene L. Allen.	27 18	W W	Portsmouth. Portsmouth.	Edgar J. Rand. Clinta C. Knowles. Raymond E. Allen. Edith L. Pierce.	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister, Rye.
Nov. 17	Hampton Beach	Patrick E. Reilly. Marion T. O'Brien.	32 26	W W	New York, N.Y. New York, N.Y.	Patrick E. Reilly Roselle C. Reilly Michael T. O'Brien. Mary T. Hanrahan.	1st 1st	Leo K. Ryan, Priest, Manchester.
25	Gonic	Clifton E. Philbrick Grace E. Vickery.	26 28	W W	Portsmouth. Portsmouth.	Ervin C. Philbrick. Mary L. Philbrook. Walter R. Vickery. Lucy E. Jenness.	1st 1st	Russell D. Brooks, Friends Minister, Gonic.
Oct. 20	Raymond	Daldry E. Smith Barbara D. Caswell.	26 24	W W	Lawrence, Ms. Rye	Robert W. Smith. Alma H. Moore. Charles H. Caswell. Mary A. Reardon.	2d 1st	Charles W. Frye, Clergyman, Raymond.
Nov. 30	Dover	Russell H. Bromfield. Mary J. Baker.	21 18	W W	Portsmouth. N. Tou'da, N.Y.	Benjamin Bromfield Martha Blake. Walter Baker. Mary J. Taylor. Arthur Corso	1st 1st	Milton Baker, Baptist Clergyman, Dover.
Dec. 21	Rye	Richard H. Corso Dorothy M. Bouslay	22 20	W W	Boston, Mass. Ipswich, Mass.	Jessie C. Hemerly Frederick W. Bousley Mildred A. Getchell	1st 1st	George H. Paul, Minister, Rye.

22	Rye	Earl N. Coombs Marjorie L. Baker	21 18	W W	Lynn, Mass. Providence, R.I.	Nathaniel Coombs Leah Goss Corydon L. Baker Mildred A. Dager Walter R. Rogers Charlotte Noyes William D. Laing Anna Eamond	1st 1st	George H. Patil, Minister, Rye.
23	Rye	Walter L. Rogers Shirley Laing	28 18	W W	Georgetown, Ms. Georgetown, Ms.		2d 1st	Robert M. French, Clergynman, Rye.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BLAKE H. RAND,

*Town Clerk.*



**DEATHS Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1945**

Date	Name and surname of Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Male or Female.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.						
Jan. 3	Jessie M. Mitchell.	67	8	12	Scotland	F	W	M	Daniel Morrison	Marjorie Watson.
Feb. 5	Roy E. Staples.	66	8		Eliot, Me.	M	W	W	Abner Staples.	Esther Marsh.
12	Kenneth R. Eldridge	65	5	19		M	W		William F. Eldridge	Charlotte Wright.
25	Maureen F. Sheehan	1	3			F	W	S		
Mar. 21	Dorothy S. Dechene	59	6	18	Rye	F	W	M	Charles P. Wendell	Mary Dow.
Apr. 1	Lavina Johnson	70	10	26		F	W			
15	Ruth D. Eaton	31	9	12	Somerville, Ms.	F	W	M	Edward F. Dunn	Jennie G. Stephens.
June 3	Anna D. Parsons	80	11	12	Rye	F	W	S	Warren Parsons	Julia A. Grove.
5	Charles H. Keyes	73	4	16	Etna, Me.	M	W	M		
20	Frank L. Soule	56	6	5	Portsmouth	M	W	M	Frank L. Soule	Bridget Herlihy.
24	Willie S. Eldridge	63	8	2	Nova Scotia	M	W	M	William F. Eldridge	Charlotte Wright.
28	Irene Hancock	88	10	11	Newfoundland	F	W	W	Charles Penny	Bessie Coffin.
July 17	A. Ruth Shapley	64	9	16	Rye	F	W	S	Ruel G. Shapley	Abbie Rand.
29	Alice M. Floyd	69			New Brunswick	F	W	W	— Floyd	Anna McIntyre.
Aug. 8	Margaret C. Callagy	46			N. Andover. Ms	F	W	W	William T. Aloon	Annie J. Wall.
9	Helen F. McIntyre	81	7	19	Saco, Me.	F	W	W	Garrett F. Burns	Mary Hellery.
15	Charles B. Philbrick	68	7	3	Rye	M	W	M	J. Curtis Philbrick	Helen K. Hodgdon.
Sept. 1	Herman L. Roth	65	4	13	Russia	M	W	M		
2	Gladys J. Caswell	43	11	5	Greenland	F	W	M	Arthur F. Joy	Martha B. Clough.
6	Infant Clark				Kittery, Me.	M	W	S	Ernest E. Clark	Susan E. Sawyer.
14	Isabel H. Ramsdell	78	4	18	York, Me.	F	W	W	Edward G. Ramsdell	Annie S. —
Oct. 6	Harken Martenson	80	2	16	Sweden	M	W	M	Martin Harkenson	Kana Martenson.
14	Louis C. Kreiter	56	6		N. Canaan, Ct.	M	W	M	Louis Kreiter	Nettie F. Seeley.
15	Ethelyn T. Rumford	42	10	10	Portsmouth	F	W	M	Harken Martenson	Sarah P. Trefethen.



18	Bessie B. Grover	60	1	15	Portsmouth	F	W	D	George Ramsdell	Isabel H. Ramsdell.
Nov.	Frank Thompson	72	6	10		M	W	W	Ralph R. Randall	Evelyn Smith.
Dec.	Ralph R. Randall		4	13	Portsmouth	M	W	S		

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BLAKE H. RAND,  
*Town Clerk.*









